

## **SENIOR PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN (SAFETY)**

### **JOB ANALYSIS BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

**Date of Study:** October 18, 2004

**Collective Bargaining Identification:** R18

**Job Analysis Conducted By:** Xina Bolden, Personnel Examining Analyst  
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**Number of Incumbents:** There is 7 incumbents in this classification  
per Department of Corrections Filled/Vacant  
Position Report dated October 8, 2004.

**Names of the Subject Matter Expert(s) and their background:**

**Troy Brimhall, Correctional Health Services Administrator II, Headquarters, Sacramento**

Troy has many years of experience in healthcare. Troy was a Senior Psychiatric Technician for three years and a Unit Supervisor for sixteen years within the Department of Developmental Disabilities. Troy has been with the Department of Corrections for four and a half years.

**Lydia Martinez, Psychiatric Technician Safety, CSP - Sacramento**

Lydia had twelve years of experience as a Senior Line Psychiatric Technician at Camarillo State Hospital. Lydia came to the Department of Corrections originally as Senior Psychiatric Technician (Safety) supervising line technicians and chose to demote to a Psychiatric Technician. Lydia has been with the Department of Corrections for nine years.

## **SENIOR PSYCHIATRIC TECHNICIAN (SAFETY) INFORMATION GATHERING**

The initial list of tasks and knowledges, skills & abilities statements were identified after conducting a literature review which consisted of:

- State of California Class Specification
- State of Tennessee Class Specification
- State of Louisiana Class Specification
- State of Vermont Class Specification

Other sources were viewed for information (e.g. other state class specifications); however, the information was not relevant to the job analysis and therefore not included.